

## Message Text

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DRAFTED BY EA/ROC:JPLEAONARD/BLEVIN:ARK/AVM

APPROVED BY EA:WHGLEYSTEN, JR.

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TO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, MASS, TW

SUBJECT: F5E'S FOR ROC

REFS: (A) CHMAAG TAIPEI 200809Z MAY 74

(B) STATE 048743 (0500112 MAR 75)

1. DEPUTY ASSISTSEC GLEYSTEN DISCUSSED ROC REQUESTS FOR CO-PRODUCTION ADD-ON OF 20 F5E'S AND EXTENSION OF FINANCE PLUS LOAN OF 21 F5E'S WITH ROC MINISTER CHEN TAI-CHU ON MAY 23.

2. ON CO-PRODUCTION GLEYSTEN SAID WE WERE AWARE OF FINANCIAL IMPORTANCE TO GROC OF PROMPT US DECISION. UNFORTUNATELY, HOWEVER, WE COULD NOT HOLD OUT HOPE FOR DECISION BEFORE MAY 31 DEADLINE, AND GROC WOULD HAVE TO TAKE ACCOUNT OF THIS IN ITS DEALINGS WITH NORTHROP.

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3. ON 21 LOANED F5E'S, GLEYSTEN REPEATED POINTS MADE IN REF (B), THAT BECAUSE OF WORLDWIDE DEMAND AND US COMMITMENTS TO OTHER COUNTRIES WE WOULD BE UNABLE TO EXTEND THIS LOAN. WE SAID WE EXPECTED TO MAKE A DECISION ON

DISPOSITION OF THESE AIRCRAFT SHORTLY, AND WOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH ROC THROUGH MILITARY CHANNELS ON THE EXACT TIMING OF THE RETURN.

4. RECOMMEND EMBASSY OR MAAG REPEAT THESE POINTS TO APPROPRIATE GROG OFFICIALS. KISSINGER

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